COMMERCIAL.

Monetary affairs remain without any special change. In legitimate circles there is not much demand for money, and the supply is abundant. The money market in New York is quoted very easy. State bonds are quiet, and Virginias are quoted a shade lower, selling yesterday in Baltimore at 662 668. In local railroad securities we have no transactions to note, and we quote:

Bid. Ask. Orange, Alexa. & Man., 7s...... 78 Orange & Alexa. 8s, 3d....... Virginia & Tennessee, 8s Washington and Ohio bonds

Prices of Produce in Alexandria. FLOUR, Fine. \$3.75 @ 4.00 Superfine. 4.75 @ 5.00 Extra. 5.50 @ 6.00 EGGS 0 13 60 0 14 IRISH POTATOES 0 75 60 1 09 VEAL CALVES 0 4 @ 0 6

BACON, Hams, country 0 12 @ 0 13

Best sugar cared Hams 0 15 @ 0 16

Butchers' Hams 0 14 @ 0 14

Western 0 14 @ 0 154

Sules 0 111 @ 0 152 Sides 0 111 @ 0 12 Shoulders..... 0 9 @ 0 9½ LARD 0 13 (4 0 142 CLOVER SEED 11 50 (6 0 00 WOOL, long unwashed,...... 0 24 @ 0 25 Washed 07:32 @ 0.34 Merino, unwashed 0 20 @ 0 21 Do. washed...... 0 28 (a) 0 30 SUMAC...... 1 25 @ 1 50 HAY...... 15 00 (20 00

Flour is unchanged, and remains quiet at the decline noted on Wednesday. Wheat is off a shade, with limited receipts to-day; sales of 1000 bushels at 85 for poor white, and COall7 for poor to good red. Corn is steady, with fair receipts; offerings of 1298 bushels, with sales at 52 for white, and 51 for mixed. No Rye or Oats of fered. Country produce in light receipts. Other articles at quotations.

RICHMOND MARKET, Aug. 24.-The market exhibits more activity, with increased receipts, the offerings to day reaching 5500 bushels of Wheat, 4500 of which were sold at pric s ranging from 1:0a125. Offerings of Corn light, and only some 300 bushels sold, prime g ing at 50c. Very tew Oats in the market, with sales at 35c for best Spring. No sales of Kye reported.

LYNCHBURG MARKET, Aug. 24.—The market is telerably active, with fair receipts of Wheat, and sales at 1154120 for white, and 110415 for foundation in fact, was first published in this

FREDERICKSBURG MARKET, August 21.-The market is quiet, with limited receipts of Grain, and prices are without material change. Wheat 1864120 for fair to choice; Corn 50 52; Oats 20a 5, and Rye 50a52.

BALTIMORE SUGAR AND COFFEE MARKET .-The market for Sugar continues firm. We notice sales to day for refining of 250 boxes. Cuba Centritugal at 92c, and of 12 hads fair grocery l'orto Rico at 92c. Prices are steadi y main tained, and we still que to as follows, viz: Cuba, grocery grades...... 93 a Cuba, centrifugal...... 98 a 101

Demerara, vacuum pan...... 97 a 101 but we hear of no further sales of cargoes or invoices, and we write the market firm in tone, god grades being especially strong. Prices are, nowever, unchanged, and we quote as be-

Jeb lots-Ordinary...... 15 a 152 Fair 172 a 18 Good 18 a 181 Prime 18½ a 18¾ Choice to fancy...... 19 a ... (Gold, 60 days.)

ALEXANDRIA CATTLE MARKET, August 25.-The offerings of Cattle this week were good, and the quality fair; prices were a little stronger, and ranged from 4a5tc. Calves are in demand, and prices have advanced; sales at 5 dec. Sheep and Lambs are in fair receipt, and sell at 4a5c for old Sheep, and 3a\$4 25 per head for Lambs. Hegs are dull, with but few coming in; prices are nominal at SaS9 per 160 lbs. Cows and Calves 25aS50.

NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, August 24. beeres-Receipts 2575 head. Wholesale slaughterers paid a trifle more than on Monday for like qualities, and the market was a little more to very choice Steers went at 94 10c; common to fair natives at 77a9c, and common to fair xas and Cherokee Cattle at 61 Sc per pound dressed. Butchers are paying quite as much as they can silled to do for Cattle, and prices canbe materially advanced.

Unives-Receipts 893 head. Milk-fed Veals filled steady and firm at 5a9c per lb for very coarse to strictly prime. Grass Calves were esser, with slow sales at 5.58 50 per head, including a few sales at 31-32c per lb. Some mixed lots were sold up to \$10 per head. Sheep and Lambs - Receipts 5600 head. There

was a tair call for both Sheep and Lambs at former prices, with sales of common to prime Sheep s device per ib, and of common to choice Lambs ston per lb, the latter price for a carload of choice State Lambs, 70 lbs average. Hogs-Receipts 4119 head. A few live Hogs were sold at 63c per pound, but there was not enough doing in live Hogs to make a quotable

Cuscago Cattle Market, Aug. 24.—Cattle theoripts 2500; shipments 2800; market dull sofunchanged Hogs-receipts 9500; shipments tion; market light, a shade firmer and heavy; "die lower; sales at 5 75 St 45, chiefly at 6 10a 5 35, closing dull. Sheep-receipts 900; maract steady and firm.

GEORGETOWN CATTLE MARKET, August 24.-The offerings of Beet Cattle reached 212, all of which were taken at prices ranging from 3a51c per b. There were 1230 Sheep and Lambs of fered, of which 1100 sold at 41 5c per pound for Sheep, and 2: \$1 50 per head for Lambs. A few Cows and Calves sold at : 0 .\$50.

CINCINNATI HOG MARKET. August 24 -Hogs "stee, il'm and unchanged; receipts 252; ship-

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, Aug 25 .- Stocks active; better but unsettled. Money 11. Gold 103. Corn dull.

Corn dull.

NEW YORK, 4 25.—Virginia 6s. deferred, it Virginias, consolidated, 664; do. 2d series 30. Cott n quiet; middling 112 Flour more setive bly lower. Corn-Southern dull and lower; Western dull and wesk; Southern white 50 55; Western dull and weak; Southern white 50 55; Syelow 5:a60; Western mixed 56\frac{1}{2}:50\frac{1}{2}

LOCAL NEWS.

Persons leaving the city during the sum mer can have the Gazette mailed to them free of postage.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES .- War Department. Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washngton, D. C., August 25, 1876-10:30 a. m.-In the Middle States falling, followed by rising barometer, warm southerly winds, verring to cooler westerly and northerly, and frequent

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF MURDER -The Norfolk Landmark has the following:

"Several days ago Mr. C. B. Beale, of this city, received a letter written from Plymouth, N. C., by a Mr. M. L. Flyon, giving informalated the Austrian frontier near Assoinik, seized tion that three negroes, suspected of having committed a murder at Alexandria, Va., some time since, had been tracked by him to that town, where he learned that one of them had embarked on the schooner Triumph, Captain own territory with the booty. Newborn, loaded with shingles consigned to Mr. George W. McGlaubon, of Norfolk. Mr. Beale turned the letter over to His Honor Mayor Tucker, and on the arrival of the sch oner yesterday morning Officer Evans arrested a negro, who gave his name as Joseph Jackson, alias Henry Hyer, on suspicion of his being the party accused.

"He stated before Mayor Tucker that he left Washington, D. C, about a month ago on the schooner Rapidan, bound to Alexandria, where he remained from Sunday until Monday, while the schooner was loaning, and sailed on her to Makeley's Mill, N. C., whence he walked to Plymouth and shipped on the sch oner Triumph.

"Jackson is quite black, five feet eight and a-half inches high, twenty years old, and says he was born in Pensacola, Florida.

"The names of the two negroes who are supposed to be accessories to the murder, and for whom the police are on the lookout, are Horace Lively and John Williams. Jackson says they left him at Plymouth to go to Washington, N. C."

It is evident that the Plymouth man has got things mixed, and confounded the Glymont murder with an imaginar, one in this city, where no such thing has occurred for several vears.

CENTRAL TILDEN AND HENDRICKS CLUB. -The Central Tilden and Hendricks Club held its regular weekly meeting last night at the Sun engine house, K. Kemper, President, and

John T. Nugent, Secretary.

A resolution was adopted requiring those wishing to join the Club to enroll their names with the Secretary.

An invitation was extended to the different Ward Clubs to participate in a torehlight procession, previous to the mass meeting on Wednesday evening next. The meeting was then addressed by C. E.

Stuart, esq , in an able and effective speech, full of sound reasoning and solid facts, forcibly and earnestly expressed. Mr. Stuart was followed by J. M. Johnston,

esq., who made a short, but stirring address. The Club then adjourned. RESUMPTION.-The Cumberland News, in

quoting the statement of a proposed resump tion of shipments by the Hampshire and Baltimere Coai Company, as published in the Gazette, says: The above statement, which is without

red. Corn 55a69, with a fair supply. Oats 35a city. The Hampshire company say that they may resume shipments next month, but have not fixed upon the date nor arranged for the rate of freight." Notwithstanding which it is learned, upon

good authority, that the stopmen's will doubtless be resumed on or about the first of September, although official information of that fact or of the rate of freight to be paid has not vet been received.

OVERBOARD.-Yesterday evening Mr. Sears, who is watchman at the railroad pier at Shepherd's, on the opposite side of the river, went with his daughter to the American coal wharf to take a row-boat for his post. The tide being | j-yed themselves highly, and the affair was an very low, Mr. Sears entered the boat first and eminent success. reached up to assist his daughter, when, by a sudden lurch of the boat, they were both thrown into the water, and would have been drowned but for the efforts of Mr. Samuel Henry, the Superintendent of the wharf, assisted by Capt. Kirkpatrick, whose canal boat was lying near by. By the joint efforts of these two gentlemen, the submerged parties were brought safely to shore; without serious damage.

PROCESSION IN WASHINGTON.-The Hayes and Wneeler men on the Island, in Washington, are to have a flag raising on the fourth proximo. A torch light procession will parade the city on the above evening, in which the Republican Campaign Clubs of Maryland and Virginia are expected to participate, as will also the Hayes and Wheeler Invincible Campaign Club No. 1, the National Republican Campaign Club and the Southern Republican Club, and other clubs of the District and the Hayes and Wheeler Club of this city.

CLERICAL SCANDAL -Charges having been made affecting the moral character of Rev. E. active and a shade firmer. The best in market | L. Piummer, paster of the colored Baptist | id at 10de per 1b dressed to the gross cwt; good | Church at Leesburg, a committee of ministers and d acons from this city went to L esburg, last night, to investigate the charges, but the sable Beecher declined to submit to any inves tigation. From information received here, this evening, however, it is supposed that he will be compelled to vacate his present position by the church congregation.

CAPSIZE. - The yacht Witch of the Wave, while sailing down the river between Marshall Hall and Glymont, yesterday, was struck by a flaw of wind and capsized. The yacht contained three men at the time, two of whom swam to the shore, and the other climbed to the keel of the boat, from whence he was afterwards rescued. The report e replated here this morning of the drowning of one of the men

CUTTING IN FAIRFAX. - Parties were in town last night looking for medical attendance for a a negro man named Shanklin, who had been severely cut with a razor by another negro at a the first of September, 1876, and a discount of ball or party held near Edsall's Hill, in Fairfax eight per cent on all bills paid in full by the county. The name of the party who did the cutting, or any further particulars, except that the wounds were in the arm and leg, could not be ascertained.

COAL TRADE. - The shipments of coal from this port and Georgetown are again retarded and, in fact, almost stopped for want of vessels, very few of which are to be had at either port. It is also feared that the Cumberland coal trade will be injured to a considerable extent by the forced sales of immense quantities of coal, ineident to the breaking up of the Pennsylvania coal ring.

PERSONAL .- Mr. B. R. Brunner for several years chief engineer of the steamer Express has resigned his position and gone to his home in Philadelphia. Mr. Brunner has been long and lavorably known on the Potomac, and his many friends will regret to learn of his departure. Mr. John Byass succeeds Mr. Brunner in the

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Foreign News.

LONDON, Aug. 25 .- The weather to-day is LONDON, Aug. 25 .- A dispatch to the Pal Mall Gazette from Berlin says: Germany has decided to send an officer to the Turkish headmarters to report any further cruelties. The Porte refuses to grant an armistice unti

the preliminaries for peace are settled. VIENNA, Aug. 25 .- Prince Milan last night invited all the foreign consuls to a conference at the palace. It is understood the conference

related to negotiating an armistice and peace; that the Prince expressed a desire for peace, and requested mediation looking thereto. ZARA, Aug. 25 .- The Turks yesterday vio

ninety sheep and cattle, and fired upon the peasants, wounding one. Another was cap-tured and decapitated. They also fired at the Austrian Gendarmes and retreated into their Two companies of Austrian troops have ar-

rived at Ossoinik. LONDON, Aug. 25. - Soundings for the chan nel tunnel, to connect England and France, will be finished by the end of August. The engineers report that the results are very satis-

factory. BELGRADE, Aug. 25 .- At the conference last night between Prince Milan and the foreign consuls, the latter urged peace. The Prince declared his readiness to conclude peace on a basis of the ante bellum status.

London, Aug. 25.-Christas Baumbos, a Greek sailer who, with four others, murinied on board the bark Caswell, while on a voyage from Antifogasta to Queenstown, and, who was tried on a charge of murdering the Captain, Geo E. Best, and other officers of that vessel, and sentenced to death, was hanged at Cork

Heavy Rain.

WHEELING, WEST VA., August 25,-The heaviest rain storm for several years passed over this section last night lasting three hours without intermission and flooding the houses on Main street and eausing considerable loss to merchants who had goods stored in their cellars. Bridges in the southern portion of the city were carried away and the corn fields throughout this section are seriously damaged.

Telegraphic Briefs.

The Sovereign Council of the Sons of Jonadab have been in session at Philadelphia for the past three days. The reports of the officers show the order to be in a flourishing condition. A gain during the past year of 256 members makes the total membership at the present time 1,524 Washington, D. C., was selected for the next meeting.

The new-paper report of Geo. P. Rowell & Co. for the week ending Augus 26, shows that 27 papers were established and 13 suspended. Of the former there were 2 dailies, 24 weeklies and I menthly; of the latter 3 dailies, 9 weeklies and I monthly. A fire at Wyandotte, Michigan, at 2 o'cleek,

this morning, destroyed A. Liskey's store and dwelling. Mrs. Liskey was sufficiated while endeavoring to remove goods from the burning

Mr. Warratt, a graduate of Bowdoin College and who took a prize at Saratoga, this sum mer, walked from the top of Mt. Washington. N. H., to Portland, yesterday. The distance is 90 miles.

Local Brevities.

The weather has again turned excessively warm, and, although the temperature was relieved somewhat by a grateful shower of rain about noon to-day, still the thermometer continues to range well up in the eighties, and complaints of the heat are frequent.

Mr. Thad. Dowell, whose severe and, it was feared, serious injuries by the upsetting of his wagon, near Round Hill, have been heretofore mention d to the Gazette, has sufficiently re covered to be conveyed to his home.

A large number of persons from the surrounding country attended the tournament and ball at Piscataway yesterday. All present en-

The Aqueduct bridge is being repaired at the Georgetown end, and as soon as the retairs there are completed, which will be some time vet, the workmen will be transferred to the Two negro boys were arrested this morning

for going through an unoccupied house belonging to the Mr. M. Normile, near the Midland depet, and stealing therefrom all the door keys. twelve in number.

Mrs. Francis L. Smith, jr., died yesterday evening at the home of her father, Maj. W. T. Sutherlin, in Panville.

The schooner Emma Aery was hauled up at the ship yard to-day.

If you have been drinking too much, which however you should never do, a dose of Dr. Bull's Vegetable Pills will place you in a good condition again.

Go to Warfield & Hail, Lunt's, Leadbeater & Bro., James Entwisle, C. B. Grigg, W. F. Creighton, Janney & Co., or J. Y. Gibson and ask for Wells' Enr ka.

A LIVER DISORDERED FOR FIFTEEN YEARS. For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from a disordered Liver, during which time I tried many of the best physicians in the country and almost all the patent nes rums recommend d, all to no effect, until I us d Simmons' Liver Regulator; and from the time I used it to this day, which is now several years, I have been comparatively a sound man, having suffered very little since at any time from the effects of my old disease. Consequently, I heartily recommend its use to the offlicted of liver disease. MAJ A. F. WOOLEY, Kingston, Ga.

N OTICE TO CITY TAX-PAYERS.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE. ALFXANDRIA, VA., July 21, 1876. Notice is he reby given that the tax bills que for 1876 are n: w in our hands for collection, and the attention of parties interested is respectfully called to the following provision in the revenue bill of that year:

"The Collectors of Taxes shal! make a discount of ten per cent on all bills paid in full by first of October, 1876
S. K. FIELD, Col. South District.
JNO. T. HILL, Col. North. Dist.

A. L. LEONARD, General Commission Merchant.

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EDUCATIONAL.

H. F. HENRY'S SCHOOL.

This SCHOOL FOR BOYS, now eligibly situated, on Queen, between Washington and Co lumbus streets, will commence its fifteenth annual session on MONDAY, Sept. 18th.

The course of study comprises the ordinary English branches, higher Mathematics and the Natural Sciences. The terms of tuition vary. according to the branches taught, from \$6 to \$15 per quarter in advance. The school room will be open for the re-

ception and classication of pupils every day after Sept 10th, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 m. sug 25 -: f

I NIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA.

LAW DEPARTMENT. J. B. Minor, LL D., Prof. Com. and Stat. Law: S. O. Southall, LL.D., Prof. Equity and Law Merchant, Internat'l. Law, etc. Session begins Oct 1, 1876, and continues nine months. In struction by text books and lectures combined, illustrated by Moot Court exercises. For Catalogue, apply (P. O. University of Virginia) or WM. WERTENBAKER, Sect'y. Faculty. aug 25-1m

ALEXANDRIA FEMALE INSTITUTE. BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL.

No. 16 south Fairfax st. The sixth annual session of this School will commence on TUESDAY, the 19th of Septem-

ber. For Circulars apply to the
Misses GREENE, Principals.
aug 25-t01 P. O box 260 HOME SCHOOL—My daughters will reopen their SCHOOL FOR LITTLE BOYS and GIRLS, at my residence, 221 King st., MONDAY, September 18th. J. M. BROADUS.

aug 25-3w

BELLE HAVEN INSTITUTE, (For Young Ladies.) The exercises of this school will be resumed on the 15th of SEPTEMBER next with encouraging prospects. The facilities offered in the various departments of this school for acquiring a thorough education are unsurpassed. The charges for tuition (entire session) are as follows: Primary Department \$30; Intermediate Department \$40; Collegiate English Department \$50; Ancient and Modern Languages

each \$20; Music \$40; use of instrument for practice \$10; contingent fund \$2 Board (not including washing) \$150. For other information apply for Catalogue to N. PENICK, Principal,

aug 23-t01 Alexandria, Va. ST. MARY'S ACADEMY, North Fairfax street,

Alexandria, Virginia,
Conducted by the SISTERS OF THE HOLY CROSS, will reopen MONDAY, Sept 4. The course of instruction is most thorough English, the Languages, Music, &c.

Every effort will be made by the Sisters that the children (bearders and day | upils) entrust ed to their care shall receive a solid and refined education Music, Languages, Drawing and Painting form extra charges. For full particulars address Sister M. LEOCADIA, S perior. aug 23-2w

MISS POWELL'S SELECT SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.
The tenth annual session of this school will begin on THURSDAY, Sept. 21st. A limited number of boarders will be received, and all unils will be excefully and thoroughly instructed in the English Branches, French and Mathematics. Terms for day scholars \$32 per half session, in advance Circulars can be obtained from Frence's bookstere, or on application to Miss POWELL, corner Washington and Duke streets, Alexandria, Va. au23-30101

THE FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION OF MISS TEBBS' SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES and LITTLE GIRLS, located at No. 123 Queen street, will commence 18th of SEPT. aug 23-1:n

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TAYLORSVILLE POSTOFFICE, VA. Hilary P. Jones, M. A.

Horace W. Jones. The twenty-seventh session begins October 1. For Catalogue, &c., address

aug 19-eolm MISS MARY E. JOHNSON will reopen her SCHOOL FOR GIRLS and BOYS on SEPTEMBER 19th, at her residence, 210 Prince

MOUNT VERNON INSTITUTE,

No. 12 south Washington street, Alexandria, Virginia. Scholastic duties will be resumed MONDAY September 11th. Number of boarders limited.

A KINDERGARTEN is connected with the primary department of the school. For Circu-

ars or information address Miss M. A. ROACH, Principal. P. O. Box 379. aug 15-1m

BETHEL ACADEMY, VA., PREPARES FOR UNIVERSITY OR BUSINESS. For board and tuition \$92.50 per half session. Reopers September 21st. For Catalogue ad-WM. W. SMITH, A.M.,

Bethel Academy, Fauquier Co., Vs. aug 5-twtS15 EPISCOPAL FEMALE INSTITUTE, Winchester, Va. Rev. J. C. WHEAT, D.D. Principal,

Assisted by competent and experienced teachers in the several departments. this Institute will be resumed September 7, 1876. For Circulars, containing full information, apply to Rev. J. C. Wheat. References: the Bishop and Clergy of the Diocese of Virginia. jy 20-1m

DOTOMAC ACADEMY, (Formerly Alex. Boarding School) Established by Benjamin Hellowell in 1824. A complete English, Classical and Mathemrtical course taught; also Frenca, German and Spanish. Next session will commence SEPTEMBER 20 Catalogues furnished at re

Terms-For board, tuition, washing and lights, \$150 per half session in advance. For day scholars \$15 for tuition in English branches \$2.50 in Greek and Latin (each) and \$2.50 is Modern Languages (each) per quarter in advance. JOHN S. BLAUKBURN, Principal, Alexandria, Virginia aug 3-2awtf

ST. JOHN'S ACADEMY.

The Thirty-Eighth Annual Session will commence on MONDAY, September 4th. The advantages are: Experienced teachers, improved classification, military discipline, and a fine library and apparatus. Charge for board and tuition \$62.50 a quarter session of two and a half months. Early application will be necessary to secure admission. For Catalogues and other information address RICHARD L CARNE, A.M., Principal,

aug 3-eelm Drawer 27. Alexandria, Va. OATLANDS SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

Having engaged a first class Teacher, I pro pose opening a select school for a limited number of pupils, first session to begin 18.h of September and close 18th of June. The situation is plessant, wholesome, easy of access, with an Episcopal church within walking distance, a post office and daily mail. Not only will special attention be paid to the mental and religious culture of the scholars, but their physical culture will be considered.

Miss LUCY NELSON, the principal Teacher, brings the highest testimonials as an instructress in Latin, French, Mathematics and the Miss E. D. SMITH, Assistant. Miss FOX, Teacher of Music.

Terms: For session of nine months \$300, balf payable in advance; the other half the first of February. This includes board, washing, English Tuition, Music, with use of Piano, French,

Latin and Mathematics.

References—Rev. R. T. Davis, Leesburg;
Rev. O. A. Kinsolving, Halifax Court House;
Rev. W. M. Dame, Amaxandria; Rev. Dr. Minnegerode, Richmend; Bishop Dudly, Louisville.

Direct to Mrs. GEORGE CARTER, Oatlands iy 19-eot-1 P. O., Loudoun co., Va.

EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL. A Classical School for Boys.

Principal, L. M. BLACKFORD, M.A.,

jy 1-eo3m

Alexandria, Va.:

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AUCTION SALES.

SALE OF VERY DESIRABLE PROPER-TY-Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at June term, 1874, in the suit of Charles J. Brewer and others, the undersigned. commissioners named in said decree will, on MONDAY, the 21st day of August, 1876 that being Court day, at noon of that day, before the door of the Court House of said county, sell to the highest bidder, by public auction, that valuable property on which John W. Pierpoint at present resides, formerly the residence of the late William Brewer. This tract contains ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY ACRES, is improved by a comfortable FRAME DWELLING, with the usual out buildings, is well watered and timbered, in a good state of cultivation, good fruit, and lies on the Middle Pike, near Gibson's woods, and ad-

joins "Ash Grove" Terms of Sale: Enough cash in hand to pay the expenses of sale and the sum of \$894.63, with interest thereon from the 18th day of April, 1870, till day of sale, and the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and re-tention of title until the last payment is made. Conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

THOMAS R LOVE, Commissioners THOMAS MOORE, of Sale. The above sale is postponed until MON-DAY, the 18th day of September next, Court

day, at the same place and hour. su 23-wtd HOUSE AND LOT AT HERNDON FOR SALE-Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at the June term, 1876, in the suit of Witmer & Slaymaker vs. Madison Whipple, the undersigned, commissioner therein named, will, on MON-DAY, the 21st day of August, that being Court day, at twelve o'clock m., in front of the Court House door of said county, sell to the righest bidder the following property, to wit: That certain PIECE OR LOT OF LAND and its appurtenances, containing about one acre, situated in the village of Herndon, and known as the Whipple property. This lot has thereon a comforable FRAME DWELLING. and is eligibly situated. Persons wishing to vio the property are referred to J. Amos Fox, who

resides thereon. Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the expenses of saic and the sum of \$306 90, with interest thereon from the 21st of September, 1874, till sale and the residue on a creait of one and two years, in equal instalments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and retention of title until the

last payment is made. THOS. MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale. Fairfax county, jy 14-w4w

The above sale is postponed until MON-DAY, the 18th day of September next, Court day, at the same place and hour. aug 23-wtd COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUAthe Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at June term, 1876, in the suit of John Haislip vs. James S Marders and others, the undersigned, commissioners, named in said decree, will, on MONDAY, the 21st day of August, 1876, that being Court day, in front of the Court House door of said county, at 1 o'clock p. m.. sell to the highest bidder, at public sale, that VALUBLE TRACT OF LAND on which James S. Marders at present resides, containing 276 acres This land is under a good state of cultivation;

of the purchaser, with approved personal security, and retention of title till the last payment is made.

H. W. THOMAS,
THOMAS MOORE,

Coms of Sale Fairfax co., jy 14-w4w The above sale is postponed until MOA-DAY, the 18th day of September next Court day, at the same place and hour. aug 23-wtd

GROCERIES AND LIQUORS. ROCERIES IN STORE.

25 bbls Crushed, Granulated, A, B and C Sugar, 20 sacks Java, Lagauyra and Rio Coffee. 10 chests Gunpowder, Imperial, Hyson, Oolong, Japan and English Breakfast Tea.

3 tierces Maryland Hams, 2 tierces S. C. Shoulders and Breast Pieces, 10 bb/s N. O. and P. R. Molasses. 5 bbls Maryland and Golden Syrup. 20 bbls Family and Extra Flour. 15 bbls Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel. 3 tiere's George & Jenkins' Refined Lard.

10 packages N. Y. State Butter. 5 packages N. Y. State Cheese. 10 bbls Pure Cider Vinegar. 5 packages Mason's Crackers and Cakes. A'so Baker and other grades pure Whiskey. Sherry, Port and Claret Wine, Hennessy Brandy, Olive Oil, all kinds of Canned Goods. Mus tard, Spices, English Pickles and Sauces, and other goods to be found in a first class grocery store, FOK SALE AS CHEAP AS THE

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AUCTION SALES. COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUA-OTHER REAL ESTATE-Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at June term, 1876, in the suit of Stephenson vs. Stephenson, the undersigned, as special commissioner named in said decree, will on MONDAY, the 18th day of September, 1876, Court day, at 1 o'clock p. m., in front of the Court House door of said county, sell to the highest bidder the real estate of which the late Abner Stephenson died seized, lying and being in said county. This property embraces that VALUABLE FARM whereon Mrs. Stephenson at present resides, situated on the county read leading to the Little Falls bridge, and about half a mile west of the village of Langley, and contains 63 acres and 10 poles. This property is improved by a comfortable FRAME DWELLING, with the usual outbuildings its size and property. buildings, its s ze and proximity to market ren-

dering it very desirable. Also that well known property, situated in the town of Providence, (Court House) on the southeast corner of Main and Painestreets, consisting of the DWELLING lately occupied by Mrs C.C. Powell, STOREHOUSE occupied by Job Hawxhurst, bar room by Dallas Powell and the several rooms over the stere named, oc-cupied by a Masons' Lodge. As a business stand this is regarded as the best in the village. Terms of Sale-One tenth of the purchase money will be required in hand as a deposit liable to be forfeited should the purchaser fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the resi-

due in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and retention of title until the last payment is made. THOMAS MOORE. sug 19-wts DESIRABLE BUSINESS STAND AT FALLS CHURCH FOR SALE-Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at June term, 1876, in the suit

of Gould and Son vs. J. D. Brush, 1 shall on SATURDAY, the 16th day of September, 1876, at 12 o'clock m., on the premises, sell to the highest bidder, at public sale, that valuable property, consisting of STOREHOUSE, DWELLING and BARN, situated on the S. E. corner of the Alexan iris and Georgetown turnpikes. As a business stand this is regarded as one of the most valuable in the thriving village of Falls Church, and effers strong inducements for a prolitable investment. Persons desiring to view the property before the day of sale are re-ferred to Mr. W. Clover. This property will be sold subject to a covenant that no spirituous

liquors shart be sold as a beverage thereon. Terms of Sale-So much of the purchase money will be required in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and retention of title till the last payment is made. THOMAS MODRE, Comm'r. of Sale aug 10-w4w

ON MISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUAdecree of the Circuit Cours of Fairing county, rendered at its June term, 1876, in the suit of Peach vs. Barker and others, one undersigned. commissioner in said dicree maned, will, on MONDAY, the 18th day of September, 1876, Court day, in front of the door of the Court House of said county, between 12 m., and 1 clock p in , sel to the hignest bidder, at pub-ic sale, all that PARUEL OR TRACT OF is improved by a FRAME DWELLING and the usual out buildings, and lies on Bohick run, and near the public road leading to the village of Accotink, and near the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad.

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> interest from day of sale, and the title to be re-THOMAS MOORE,

> be required to pay the expenses of sale, and the

sum of \$358 and the interest of \$716 from De-

cember 9th, 1875, will be required in hand, and

the residue on a credit of two ve months, to bear

SALE OF VALUABLE LAND—by virtue of a decree entered by the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, at Alexandria, on the 7th day of July, 376, in the matter of Charles Heath, the undersigned will offer for sale, at the front door of the Court House of Prince William county, on the FOURTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1876, that being Court day, that valuable tract of land, lying in the sol county, containing 318 acres, known as "LOCUST GROVE," and is the same land of which Chas. Heath died seized and pos-

And we will also other for sale, at the same time and place, the UNDIVIDED INTER-EST, being one fourth, or the said Chas. Heath in the TRACT OF LAND lying in the county

of Londoun, called "THE BURNT CHIM-NEY," containing 200 seres. Terms of Sale—One fourth cash, and the resi-due on credits of 6-12 and 48 months; the purchasers giving bonds for the said residue in equal astaiments, with approved personal security, bearing interest from the day of sale.
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JNO M. FORBES, WM. E. LIPSCOMB, Comm'rs. Prince William county, sug 16-3w

DUBLIC SALE—On THURSDAY, August 24th, 1876, at the residence of Samuel and Eliza Stewart, dec'd., the undersigned heirs of Samuel and Eliza Stewart, dec'd, will offer by The subscriber respectfully announces that public sale, the following described REAL ES-ATE, lying in Fauquier county, and State of Virginia, viz: 280½ scres, forme ly known as the home piace of Wm. Fletcher, dec'd., ad-joining the lands of Wm. Beverley, Daniel Kerioot and W. W. Phillips. The above described land is in a high state of cultivation, is well adapted to either farming or grazing, is well watered and timbered, and has on it all the accossary out buildings, close adjacent to churches, mills, schools, &c , and in fact is so located as to make a home attractive to any one who wishes to locate in Virginia. The second tract contains 226 acres, and lies one mile from the above tract, adjoining the lands of Thomas Glasscock, Eliza Woodward and others, and is also in a high state of cultivation, and only one mile from dectortown depot, on the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R., thereby making both farms convenient to the markets of Alexandria, Washington and Bastimore. The above two tracts of hand can be bought of the heirs at private sale prior to the above date; but it not sold at private sale will be offered promptly at 10 o'clock a. m., August

24, 1876, at public sale, on the premises. Term made known on the day et sale. Signed by the heirs. JOHN W. STEWART.

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